

Günter Waxenecker
Project Manager

Research
Areas:

- Immunotherapy of cancer: Tumor vaccines, Monoclonal Antibodies, Serology, Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics
- Production of clinical grade biologics

Personal
Details:

Born: 14. Aug 1969, St.Pölten, Austria; married; 2 Children;

Citizenship: Austrian

Education:

1975-1979: Volksschule (primary school)

1979-1983: Integrierte Gesamtschule (eq. high school)

1983-1988: HBLA Franzisko Josephinum (higher agricultural school)

1988-1989: Land- und forstwirtschaftliche berufspädagogische Akademie (educational academy)

1989-1990: military service

1990-1997: University of Agricultural Sciences, Vienna, Austria,
Spec. Food and Biotechnology

Jobs:

) Teacher in agricultural schools

) Summer jobs in dairies, breweries

) Trainee in the European Parliament, Brussels

1996-1997: Project work at Sandoz Research Institute Vienna, Oncology group
Vienna: Murine Monoclonal IgG1 antibody directed against the idiotype of
antibodies with specificity of BR55-2 (Anti-ID BR55-2).

1997: Diplom Ingenieur (equiv. Masters); Mastersthesis: "Purification of an
antibody into isoforms and analysis for different functionalities" in the oncology
group Vienna of the Sandoz Research Institute.

1997-2000: Continued Project work at the Novartis Research Institute Vienna
(former SFI; Group Genetics): Construction of single chain antibody-cytokine
fusion proteins with tumor imaging properties; expression in various systems
(E.coli, S.cerevisiae, P.pastoris, Jurkat, CHO); DNA Vaccination;

Preparation and down stream processing of neoglycoproteins as tumor vaccine;
Immunization studies in rhesus monkeys and serology.

Thesis: hGM-CSF in Protein and DNA based vaccination Strategies regarding the
Anti-idiotypic Approach

2000: Doctoral thesis: hGM-CSF in Protein and DNA based vaccination Strategies
regarding the Anti-idiotypic Approach

1998-1999: Education as Quality manager, Quality auditor and Supplier auditor

Since 2000: Project Leader at igeneon

Since 2001: teaching at the technical college of engineering, Wels, Austria

Since 2003: Project Manager at igeneon